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Applicant: Michael J. Daneman et al.
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STRUCTURES USING ETCH-STOP TRENCHES
Examiner: Roberts P. Culbert
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AMENDMENT E (AFTER FINAL)

15 Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 29, 2003 (paper no. 1203), kindly amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks:

20 **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** are reflected in the **LISTING OF ALL CLAIMS** that begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 5 of this amendment.

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